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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: GAS GENERATOR GRATE

Examiner: I. Akram

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated September 8, 2008, the due date for response having been petitioned to be extended three (3) months to March 8, 2009, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Specification beginning on page 2;

Amendments to the Claims which begins on page 4; and

Remarks beginning on page 7 of this Amendment.